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FM AMCONSUL AMSTERDAM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2115

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SUBJECT: CONSULAR WORKLOAD AND MANPOWER SEMI-ANNUAL REPORTS

REF: A-165

REPORT IS BEING SENT TELEGRAPHICALLY BECAUSE A-165 DID
NOT REACH AMSTERDAM UNTIL JAN. 22.

POST: AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS DATE: JANUARY 28, 1974

FY 74(1ST) FY 74 (2ND)TOTAL

PART I - IMMIGRANT VISAS

POST DOES NOT ISSUE IMMIGRANT VISAS AND THERE ARE NO PLANS
TO HAVE IT DO SO IN FY 75 AND FY 76

PART II - NONIMMIGRANT VISAS FY 74(1ST) FY 74(2ND) TOTAL

1. NIV'S ISSUED 13,736 28,000 41,736
(DO NOT INCL. B.C.C.).

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NIV'S REFUSED (EXCL. B.C.C.) 61 120 181

NIV'S REVALIDATED/TRANSFERRED	0	0	0
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SUB-TOTAL NIV CASES	13,797	28,120	41,917
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2. B.C.C.'S ISSUED	0	0	0
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3. CREWLIST VISAS

CREWLISTS PROCESSED	102	100	202
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INDIVIDUAL NAMES INCLUDED	(3,187)	(3,000)	(6,187)
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4. GROUP VISAS PROCESSED	0	0	0
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TOTAL NON-IMMIGRANT CASES	13,899	28,220	41,119
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5. MAN-HOURS UTILIZED

A. AMERICAN: FULL TIME PERS.	579	500	1079
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PART TIME PERS.	102	103	205
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SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN HOURS	681	603	1284
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B. LOCALS: FULL TIME PERS.	1744	2000	3744
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PART TIME PER.	140	120	260
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SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN HOURS	1884	2120	4004
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TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN HOURS:	2565	2733	5288
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6. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	DLS. 919,55	1800,--	2719,55
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PART III - SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

1. DEATH OF AMERICAN CITIZENS	10	10	20
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ESTATES AND PROPERTY CLAIMS	117	100	217
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NOTARIALS	717	800	1517
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WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS	344	300	644
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ARRESTS	18	14	32
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SEAMEN AND SHIPPING	88	100	188
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SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL OR

STATE AGENCIES	439	561	1000
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TOTAL	1733	1885	3618
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2. TREASURY CHECKS	0	0	0
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3. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	DLS. 1574,50	1600,--	3174,50
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4. MAN HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN: FULL TIME PERS.	576	370	946
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LOC FULL TIME PERS.)9	2486	2400	4886
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TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS 3062 2770 5832

PART IV - CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES

1. PPT. APPLNS. EXECUTED	671	700	1371
2. PPT. EPPLNS. EXAMINED	0	0	0
3. FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	639	700	1339
4. NO-FEE PPT. ISSUED	32	30	62
5. PPT. AMENDED	87	100	187
6. PPT. VERIFIED	0	0	0
7. CARDS OF IDENTITY ISSUED	1	1	1
8. NEW APPLNS. FOR REGISTRATION (A)	45	35	80
9. AFFIDAVITS OF AMERICAN BIRTH	0	0	0
10. BIRTHS REGISTERED	88	90	178
11. REPORTS OF BIRTH (FS-240) ISS.	82	70	152
12. WITNESS TO MARRIAGE	0	0	0
13. WAIVER OF PPT.	3	3	6
 TOTAL	 1648	 1729	 3377

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14. REGISTRATIONS:

(B) TOTAL NO.OF AMERICANS REG. 4382 4400 4400

(C) ESTIMATED NO. OF US NAT.CIV.

RESIDENTS 5000 5000 5000

US OFFICIALS AND DEPENDENTS 11 11 11

US NON-OFFICIALS 4989 4989 4989

15. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED DLS. 7866,-- 7900,-- 15.766,--

16. MAN HOURS UTILIZED:

AMERICAN: FULL TIME PERS.	320	325	645
PART TIME PERS.	5	5	10
SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN HOURS		325	330
LOCAL: FULL TIME PERS.	1792	2000	3792
PART TIME PERS.	200	0	200
SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN HOURS	1992	2000	3992

TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN HOURS: 2317 2330 4647

PART V - REMARKS

NIV'S

ON THE BASIS OF THE ACTUAL NIV WORKLOAD AND IN LIGHT OF THE PRESENT UNSETTLED CONDITIONS IN THE WORLD, THE CONSULATE GENERAL IS REVISING ITS FY 1974 NIV CASELOAD ESTIMATE DOWNWARD FROM 48,222 TO 42,119. THE OUTLOOK FOR TRAVEL DURING FY 1974 IS UNCERTAIN WITH UNEMPLOYMENT STEMMING FROM THE ENERGY CRISIS BEING SOMEWHAT BALANCED BY OPTIMISTIC REPORTS FROM TRAVEL AGENTS WHO CITE PROMISING CHARTER-FLIGHT BOOKINGS. ON THE WHOLE UNCLASSIFIED

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THE SITUATION IS A MIXED BAG - A SIGNIFICANT INCREASE IN FY 1974 BUT LESS THAN HAD BEEN ORIGINALLY PROJECTED.

THE REVISION DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE CONSULATE GENERAL FEELS THAT THE ASSIGNMENT OF A THIRD CONSULAR OFFICER IS ANY LESS CRITICAL THAN IT WAS WHEN THE CONSULAR PACKAGE WAS SUBMITTED IN JULY. AS EXPLAINED IN JULY, THE PRESENT STAFF CANNOT COPE WITH EVEN THE REVISED WORKLOAD AND STILL CARRY ON THE OTHER COMMERCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS OF THE CONSULATE GENERAL.

SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

THE FY 1974 CASELOAD ESTIMATE FOR SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES IS REVISED DOWNWARD FROM 4,934 TO 3,618 BECAUSE OF THE APPARENT DROP IN THE NUMBER OF AMERICANS WHO VISITED AMSTERDAM IN THE FIRST HALF OF FY 1974. ACCORDING TO THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF TOURISM IN THE HAGUE, 198,990 AMERICANS VISITED AMSTERDAM DURING THE FIRST NINE MONTHS OF CALENDER YEAR 1973 AS COMPARED WITH 236,711 IN THE SAME PERIOD OF 1972, A DECREASE OF 15.9 PERCENT NEARLY 16. THESE STATISTICS ARE BASED ON HOTEL REGISTRATIONS AND DO NOT TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE THOUSANDS OF YOUNG PEOPLE WHO SLEPT IN VONDEL PARK, OLD HOUSES, HOUSE BOATS, ETC. WE ATTRIBUTE THE DOWNWARD ESTIMATE OF THE CASELOAD IN THE LAST HALF OF FY 1974 TO SUCH FACTORS AS HIGH PRICES OF HOTELS AND MEALS AND ABOLITION OF YOUTH FARES BY AIRLINES. ESTIMATES FOR SEAMEN AND SHIPPING SERVICES AND SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL

AND STATE AGENCIES ARE ALSO BEING REVISED DOWNWARD FOR THE WHOLE OF FY 1974 BECAUSE OF THE DROP IN DEMAND IN THE FIRST HALF OF FY 1974. WE HAVE NO HARD FACTS TO ACCOUNT FOR THIS DROP IN DEMAND.

CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES

THE FY 1974 FOR CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES IS BEING REVISED DOWNWARD BECAUSE OF THE APPARENT DROP IN THE NUMBER OF AMERICANS WHO VISITED THE CONSULAR DISTRICT IN THE FIRST HALF OF FY 1974 AND OUR ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER THAT WILL COME IN THE SECOND HALF OF FY 1974. THIS REVISION DOWNWARD IS BEING MADE HESITATINGLY SINCE STABILIZATION OF TRAVEL CONDITIONS COULD PROVE ESTIMATES MADE LAST JULY THE MORE VALID OF THE TWO.
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LOCAL FACTORS AFFECTING WORK TRENDS

FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS SUBMITTED IN RESPONSE TO A-165:

1. OF NIV APPLICANTS IN AMSTERDAM ONLY APPROX. FIVE PERCENT REQUIRE USE OF INTERPRETER,
2. APPROX. FIFTY PERCENT OF NIV APPLICANTS ARE INTERVIEWED BY EITHER CONSULAR OFFICER OR LOCAL EMPLOYEES,
3. APPROX. 200 NIV CASES RESULT IN ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS DURING FISCAL YEAR,
4. DURING FIRST HALF OF FY 1974 CONSULAR STAFF REPLIED TO NINE CONGRESSIONAL LETTERS - THREE VISAS, THREE SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES AND THREE CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORTS,
5. DURING FIRST HALF FY 1974 CONSULAR OFFICER AND TWO LOCAL EMPLOYEES WENT TO SCHIPHOL AIRPORT AFTER OFFICE HOURS TO ASSIST AMERICAN CHARTER FLIGHT MEMBERS IN MAKING ALTERNATE

ARRANGEMENTS

TO RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES. SUCCESSFUL MISSION REQUIRED FIFTEEN HOURS CONSULAR OFFICER'S TIME AT COST OF DLS.116,85 AND TOTAL FIFTEEN HOURS TWO LOCAL EMPLOYEES TIME AT COST OF DFL. 387.--
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